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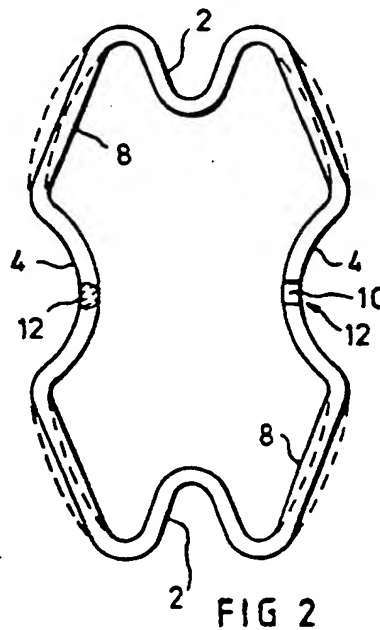
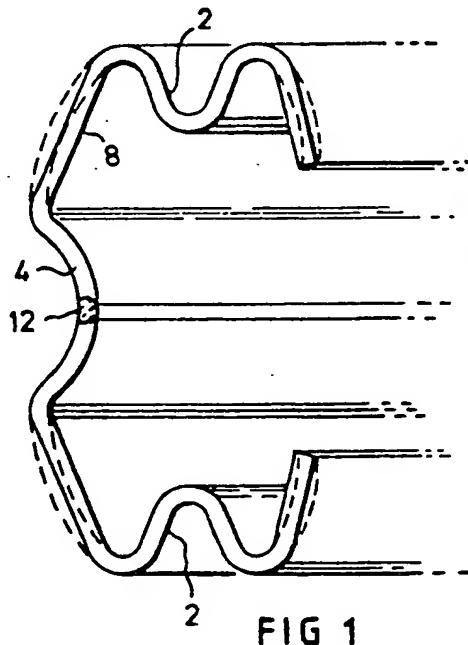
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(54) Improvements relating to metallic sealing rings and their manufacture

(57) A metallic sealing ring particularly for sealing flange joints is of open or closed hollow sinuous radial cross-section with each of its axial end faces in-curved to define an axially outward facing deep peripheral groove (2). Alternatively at least one side wall can be curved to form a concave shallow arcuate profile groove (4), the axial end faces are oblique or the end portions at one end of the end faces are inwardly curved to make mutual contact.



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